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A missionary orator stood on a Sydney platform. Before him was a large audience, which included many daintily mannered ladies. He had to describe the customs of certain savages, and of course every one wanted to know how the natives dressed. And this is how he put it: "They had only a single article of attire, and that was a fig leaf which was still on its native tree a quarter of a mile off." Having thus adroitly disposed of the difficulty, he passed on to more congenial topics.

A Liverpool druggist sold a bottle of carbolic acid without affixing to it a label indicating poison. The drug was left on a table in the purchaser's house, and was drank by a jovial neighbor who mistook it for grog. The verdict of the coroner's jury is that the druggist was "somewhat careless." Mild as the verdict is, it is an advance on recent English judicial sentences. One wife murderer recently was sentenced to three months, another to six weeks, while a third was given a nominal sentence, because the jury thought he was fond of the wife whom he kicked to death.

When the late Lord Hatherley first saw the future Queen of England he was yet a boy and she was hardly seven months old. He scarcely knew, it is said, what it was proper for him to do when the child was brought by a nurse, but after a moment of hesitation, he stepped boldly forward and kissed the infant's hand. Long years after that time, when he had become Lord Chancellor of Victoria's kingdom, he amused Her Majesty greatly in relating the story of his youth.

The Archbishop of Canterbury is quoted as giving an unusual piece of advice to an assemblage of students the other day. He is reported to have observed that it was sometimes well to offer examiners what they don't ask, when you are unable to give what they do; and he mentioned a case in point. A young man at Oxford had a paper sent him by Mr. Keble containing six questions, to which he replied:—"I cannot answer any of these questions, but here are six that I can." He answered his own questions so well that he passed. All examiners, however, are not like Mr. Keble.

At the opening of the Manchester Assizes recently Lord Chief-Justice Coleridge expressed the opinion that the crime of perjury was on the increase. This conclusion had been forced upon him by his observations from the bench. After pointing out that if the oaths of witnesses could not be relied upon the courts themselves must become instruments of oppression, the Lord Chief-Justice remarked that he should not think ill of a law which made the possible punishment of perjury heavier than it now is, for seven years of penal servitude might be a totally inadequate punishment for the mischief which a perjurer might commit.

SIDNEY SMITH told Robert Chambers that his countrymen, the Scotch, were an immensely funny people; but they needed a little operating upon to let the fun out. "I know no instrument," he added, "so effectual for the purpose as a corkscrew."

A VAIN and covetous nobleman employed an architect to erect for him a splendid mausoleum. When it was completed he said to the artist, "Is there anything wanting to complete it?" "Nothing but your lordship's corpse," replied the architect.

BURNETT'S COCOAINE.

A Lady's Hair Saved by its Use.

BURNETT'S COCOAINE will keep the hair in a strong and healthy condition *by stimulating the roots of the hair and restoring the natural action upon which its growth depends.* Twenty years ago a single bottle saved a lady's hair in a desperate case where everything had failed; and since that early success thousands of cases of Baldness, Dandruff, Loss of Hair and Irritation of the Scalp have yielded to this remedy. *

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MERCHANT TAILOR,
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Has just received a large consignment of Spring and Summer Goods direct from the best English and Canadian factories, consisting of Men's and Boy's Suits, Shirts and Drawers of all kinds, Socks, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes, Oilskin and Rubber Goods, which will be sold twenty per cent. less than regular prices.

Please call before purchasing elsewhere.

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Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets Receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co's store. *

CANADIAN WINES.—Perhaps no branch of Canadian industry has made more rapid strides in the last fifteen years than that of the cultivation of the vine. Then but a few acres altogether could be found in Canada, but now hundreds of acres are devoted to vine-culture. Above all others the wines of the Vin Villa Vineyards, of Pelee Island, occupy the highest place in public estimation. The location of the Island has doubtless had much to do with this superiority, situated 15 miles south of the most southern point of the Canadian main land and the largest of the far-famed group of grape growing islands in Lake Erie, it enjoys several weeks of mild fall weather more than upon the mainland. By the latter fact the Pelee Island Vineyards are enabled to grow the Catawba to perfection, which is an impossibility upon the Canada main. The Wines of the Vin Villa Vineyards are today to be found upon the wine lists of most of the leading hotels in Canada and are obtainable from most of the leading family grocers and wine merchants. Fell & Co. have received per steamer Idaho a shipment of the above celebrated wines. See advertisement. *

AYER'S Ague Cure is the only medicine in existence which may be considered an absolute antidote for fever and ague, and kindred diseases. It not only affords immediate relief, but it eradicates the malarial poison which produces the disease, without leaving any enervating or injurious effect, as is the case with many of the ague medicines advertised. *

PARTIES wishing to purchase fire department supplies can obtain full information by applying to J. WRIGLESWORTH, corner of Yates and Blanchard street, Victoria, where the latest improvements can be seen. Price lists furnished from all the leading cities of the world. *

BAGNALL'S stock of Book and Sheet Music is immense. *

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VICTORIA,

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DRY GOODS

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DOMINION GOVERNMENT
SAVINGS BANK.

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JOHN GRAHAM, Manager.
Victoria, Aug. 13, 1881. au14

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
jy LD. LOWENBERG.

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FOR SALE.

A COMMODIOUS NEARLY NEW DWELLING HOUSE, in Victoria District, on a first class Road, near the sea shore, with Stable and

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and hard study....This evening H
Pinafore, with Miss Lester as Josep
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Dick Deadeye ... Mr. K
Boatswain ... Louis N
Ralph Rackstraw ... M. Ror
Buttercup ... Emma S

FOUR P. M., THURSDAY, AUGUST 25th,
The highest or any Tender not necessarily acc
ad.
Victoria, B. C., August 15th, 1881.
The Premises can be viewed daily between the hours of 3 and 5 p.m. au16

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THE BRITISH COLUMBIA

ENGINE WORKS,

In perfect running order, comprising:

ENGINE SHOP,
BLACKSMITH SHOP,
BRASS FOUNDRY,
BOILER ROOM,
PATTERN SHOP, &c., &c.

Together with Lease of Ground, about eight Years to run.

These works are conveniently situated on the water front, and completely equipped to command a remunerative business.

Apply to
G. A. SARGISON,
Government St.
Victoria, 22d August, 1881. au23dw

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ONE OF THE

FINEST MANSIONS

IN THE CITY,

Situate in a commanding position, dominating Victoria Harbor and the Straits

THERE IS A

FINE GARDEN, A MODERN STABLE

AND ALL IMAGINABLE CONVENIENCES.

The owner would Exchange Property in Oakland, San Francisco or Portland to effect a sale.

For further particulars, or as to terms of payment, apply to
H. F. HEISTERMAN & CO.,
jy27 LAND AGENTS, LANGLEY STREET.

STEAMBOAT FOR SALE.

The Screw Propeller

"EMMA."

TWO SEVEN AND A HALF INCH OSCILLATing Engines, 16 inch Stroke; Round Furnace Tubular Boiler; 78 feet long, 15 feet beam; in good running order; with Anchors, Chains, Coppered Brass Propeller; an unusually good sea boat and economical in Fuel.

The Steamer is anchored off Mr. Bales' shipyard, from whom all particulars may be obtained.

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For Price and further particulars apply to
J. C. BALES,
jy30 Langley street.

A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY.

FOR SALE—ONE HUNDRED & SIXTY ACRES of Good Land situate on the south bank of Fraser River, 4½ miles below New Westminster. The place is partially improved—Frame House, Good Barn and Orchard. An excellent run in rear of the property suitable for Stock Raising or Dairying. Deep water frontage, and one of the best Fishery sites on the river. Title Crown Grant. For price and particulars apply at *The Colonist* office. jy3 1w

Mrs. J. B. Henderson,
PIANISTE AND VOCALISTE.

(THALBERG'S PUPIL FOR FOUR YEARS.)

ALL CLASSES OF GOOD MUSIC, WITH the compositions of the Old and Modern Great Masters, most carefully taught with finished effect.

TERMS according to time required.
jy30 Residence at Mrs. Beaven's, Pandora St.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON AND after the 18th instant, the FOG BELL at Race Rocks will not be sounded in thick or foggy weather.

Notice is hereby given that a 12-inch Steam FOG WHISTLE has been erected at Race Rocks a short distance S. E. of the tower; and on and after the 18th instant, during thick or foggy weather, it will sound blasts of 5 seconds duration, at intervals of 1 minute 12 seconds between them.

F. REVELY,
Agent Marine and Fisheries.
Victoria, B C., Aug. 16, 1881. au17e3d3t

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A DAILY AND WEEKLY PUBLICATION.

ESTABLISHED IN 1858.

This Journal has the largest and most extended circulation of any newspaper in the Province. It is in daily receipt of

TELEGRAPHIC

DISPATCHES.

Its value as a news and advertising medium is therefore very great. Within the past few weeks an entirely

NEW DRESS

has been provided, and the paper having been improved in other respects is the most reliable medium of intelligence on the Northern Coast.

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Always in advance. Orders may be sent by mail.

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For performing every description of

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Executed with neatness and dispatch.

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PRESIDENT: - THOS. WORKMAN,
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NEARLY THREE DOLLARS ASSETS TO ONE DOLLAR LIABILITY.

ISSUE ALL KINDS OF

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ACCIDENT POLICIES

At as Low Rates as any Company.

OUR UNCONDITIONAL LIFE POLICES CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING

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1st. The assured may reside in any part of the world.

2nd. The assured may engage in any occupation.

3rd. Thirty days grace are allowed for the payment of renewal premiums.

4th. The policy may be revived within one year of lapse.

5th. A paid-up policy will be given after three annual premiums are paid.

6th. Loans will be made on after being two years in force.

7th. This policy will be indisputable on any ground whatever after being two years in force.

8th. If any difference arises it may be left to arbitration.

OUR NEW ACCIDENT POLICIES

Are Straightforward and Untechnical

And offer as new conditions:—Fifteen days' grace for payments. If no claim be made for five years the sixth year will be allowed free of charge and policy NOT VOIDED by engaging in a more hazardous occupation than that assured against, but policies will be paid in proportion to new occupation.

R. MACAULAY, Manager.
MARK COHEN, General Agent.

F. S. BARNARD, - VICTORIA
AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.

JAMES ABRAMS, M. P. P.,
AGENT AT NANAIMO.

MESSRS. R. W. DEANE & CO.,
AGENTS, NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.
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SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

FOR VICTORIA.

THE FAST-SAILING BRIG

HAZZARD

Is on the berth at SAN FRANCISCO to sail for this port on or about the 26th inst.

Intending shippers can either telegraph their orders or send them by mail. au19

TO PPERS FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP Co.'s steamer

VICTORIA

Will sail from San Francisco for this port on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24th,

Carrying Freight and Passengers.
For further particulars apply to
WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.
Victoria, B.C., 22d Aug., 1881. au23

For Victoria Direct.

THE A1 BRITISH BARQUE

"YUCA,"

CAPTAIN JAMES,

Is now on the berth in London and will sail for Victoria direct, ABOUT THE END OF SEPTEMBER.

Intending shippers can mail their orders up to the end of August, or by cable to THOS. LETT STAHLSCHMIDT, Dashwood House, 9 New Broad Street, London.

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD.
Wharf street, Aug. 18th, 1881. au20

ROOMS TO LET.

FURNISHED SITTING AND BED ROOM ON Pandora Avenue. Address "B." at *The Colonist* office. au19 1m

HOTELS, RESTAURANTS AND SALOONS.

MORTON HOUSE,

SPENCE'S BRIDGE,

ON THE SUNNY SIDE OF THOMPSON RIVER.

THE ABOVE HOTEL IS NOW OPEN FOR THE accommodation of the public, and the proprietor will endeavor to deserve a fair share of patronage.

The very BEST OF WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS will always be kept.

C. MORTON.
July 1st, 1881. au21dw

STEITZ BROS'.
RESTAURANT
YATES ST.

IN ORDER TO KEEP PACE WITH THE TIMES, we are prepared to supply our customers and the public with the very

BEST BREAD IN THE MARKET,

4 Loaves for 25 cents, or 16 for $1 00.

BEST CAKES OF ALL KINDS CONSTANTLY ON HAND AND SOLD AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES, ESPECIALLY FRUIT AND WEDDING CAKES.

MEALS served at all hours at Reduced Rates.

STEITZ BROS.,
au9 1m YATES STREET.

PARK HOTEL,
BEACON HILL,
VICTORIA, B. C.

THIS COMMODIOUS AND HANDSOMELY FURnished Hotel is now open for the reception of guests. It is charmingly situated in the suburbs of the Capital City of British Columbia, overlooks the Straits and commands a fine view of the Olympian Range and adjoining scenery.

EXCELLENT SEA BATHING within a few yards of the Hotel. my19 3m

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VICTORIA, B. C.

THIS WELL KNOWN AND POPULAR HOTEL being one of the largest Fire-proof Brick Buildings in town, containing

FIFTY WELL FURNISHED AND VENTILATED ROOMS

Is now open for the accommodation of citizens and the Traveling Public.

Good accommodation for Ladies and Children.
Good Large Parlor, with free use of Piano.

Board and Lodging per Week ... $5 0
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Lodgings 25 and 50 cents.
B. F. DILLON,
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FORT HOPE, FRASER RIVER,

OFFERS THE BEST ACCOMMODATIONS, grandest scenery, and finest shooting and trout fishing in season in the province. The cuisine is under the management of Mrs. James.

Every attention paid to the comfort of guests. Location healthful and pleasant. Families and Tourists will find this hotel a most delightful resort.

Charges very reasonable. Apply personally or by letter to
JOSEPH JAMES,
jy13dw Proprietor.

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STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD.
June 22, 1881. je24 1y

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DEALER IN
GROCERIES, DRY GOODS
BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING, HATS AND CAPS.
HAS REMOVED
TO JOHNSON STREET, ONE DOOR EAST OF EASTMAN' BUTCHER SHOP.

Manufactures DRAWERS, UNDERSHIRTS, OVERALLS, Etc., which he offers for sale by wholesale and retail at low rates. Je11

LARD FOR SALE.

HEYWOOD'S
CELEBRATED FAMILY PASTRY LARD.
OF SUPERIOR QUALITY.

WARRANTED SWEET AND PURE FROM ADULTERATION WITH CHEAP TALLOW. TRY IT, EVERYBODY.

HEYWOOD'S
SUGAR-CURED HAMS AND BREAKFAST BACON.
ALSO—A LOT OF CANADIAN BACON CHEAP.
15 CENTS PER POUND. je1

CANADIAN
CATAWBA WINES.

FELL & CO.,

FAMILY GROCERS, FORT STREET, HAVE REceived a consignment of this

CELEBRATED WINE,

Which may be purchased in lots to suit. au6

WOOD AND IRON BOUND
SALMON BARRELS.

650 OF THE ABOVE FOR SALE, LOW, in lots to suit by
JAMES BRYAN,
jy27 2m New Westminster.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase One hundred and sixty acres of land, more or less, situate at Nimkush River, Vancouver Island, and described as follows:—

Commencing at the North-east corner stake of the Nimkush Indian Reserve, which is situate about 10 chains North-easterly from the North side of the old village site, described in the Admiralty Chart as "Cherlakee;" thence true west, along the Northern boundary of said Indian Reserve for a distance of 40 chains; thence true North, for a distance of 40 chains; thence true East for a distance of 40 chains, more or or less, to the shore line on Johnson Strait; thence in a Southerly direction, following the said shore line of Johnson Strait, to the point of commencement; and containing 160 acres, more or less.

No mining claims or mineral lands are known to exist in the neighborhood.

S. A. SPENCER.
Victoria, B.C., August 3rd, 1881. au7

IN RE ESTATE OF EDWARD WILBY, DECEASED.

BY VIRTUE OF AUTHORITY GIVEN ME BY the Supreme Court of British Columbia to administer said estate, I hereby request all persons having claims thereon to send in the same within 30 days from date hereof, and all who are indebted to the same are requested to make prompt payment thereof to me.

ESTHER WILBY,
Administratrix.
Victoria, 25th July, 1881. jy28 1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE INtend to make application to purchase twenty-three thousand and forty (23,040) Acres of Crown Land situate at False Head, Broughton Strait and Rupert Arm, Quatsino Sound, Vancouver Island, British Columbia, commencing at the Southeast corner post of Section No. 1, Quatsino District, situate on Rupert Arm, Quatsino Sound; thence true North following the East Boundary of said Section No. 1, 80 chains, more or less, to the Northeast corner of said section No. 1; thence true North two miles; thence true East nine miles; thence true North two miles, more or less, to False Head on Broughton Strait; thence in an Easterly direction to a point on the shore of Broughton Strait, four miles, more or less; thence true South two miles, more or less, to a point true East from the head of Rupert Arm; thence true West nine miles, more or less, to the head of Rupert Arm; thence in a Westerly direction, following the sinuosities of the shore to the initial point.

No mining claims or mineral lands are known to exist in the neighborhood.

J. ROLAND HETT,
M. W. WAITT,
DONALD McLEAN,
H. S. ROEBUCK,
ARTHUR STANHOPE FARWELL.
Victoria, B.C., May 30th, 1881. je21

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE UNdersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Post Office, &c., New Westminster," B.C., will be received at this office until TUESDAY, the 30th day of August next, inclusively, for the erection of Post Office, &c., at New Westminster, British Columbia.

Plans and Specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, at the office of Hon. J. W. Trutch, Victoria, B. C., and at the Post Office, New Westminster, on and after Monday, the 1st day of August next.

Tenders must be made on the printed forms supplied.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted, the cheque will be returned.

This Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order,
F. H. ENNIS,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 18th July, 1881. jy31

NOTICE.

DURING THE TEMPORARY ABSENCE OF THE undersigned Mr. J. C. BALES will transact the business of the Lancashire Insurance Company.

A. R. GREEN.
Victoria, V.I., 20th July, 1881. jy21

ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Municipality of the City of Victoria,

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT SEALED Tenders, endorsed

TENDERS FOR LIGHTING THE CITY

Will be received at the City Clerk's office

Until August 30th, 1881,

AT 4 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

For the Exclusive Privilege of Lighting the City of Victoria with the

Electric Light.

The number of years for which the Exclusive Privilege will be required must be stated in the Tender.

The area required to be lighted is about 1 7-10 miles from North to South and 1 1-10 miles from East to West.

SATISFACTORY BONDS will be required for the faithful performance of the Contract.

The Lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. LEIGH,
C. M. C.
CITY HALL, VICTORIA,
May 13th, 1881. my13dwtd

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FROM NAAS RIVER,

THIS SEASON'S CATCH,

IN BARRELS AND KITS.

For sale by HENRY SAUNDERS,
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BUGS, FLEAS, MOTHS, BEETLES
AND ALL OTHER INSECTS ARE DESTROYED BY
KEATING'S INSECT POWDER.

Which is quite harmless to Domestic Animals.

In exterminating Beetles the success of this Powder is extraordinary, and no one need be troubled by those pests. It is perfectly clean in application.

Ask for and be sure to obtain "KEATING'S POWDER," as imitations are Noxious, and fail in giving satisfaction.

SOLD BY ALL CHEMISTS IN TINS, 1s. and 2s. 6d each

WAX MATCHES

IN LOTS TO SUIT.

KURTZ & CO.
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FRIDAY MORNING, AUG. 26TH, 1881.

MR. W. HARRISON
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L. P. FISHER, Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants Exchange, San Francisco, is authorised to receive advertisements for the columns of this paper.

THE LATEST TELEGRAPHIC WONDER.

Our dispatches have from time to time brought us marvellous descriptions of a new system of telegraphy, invented by LEGGO and purchased by a newly-formed telegraph company at whose head stands J. R. KEENE. The instruments now in use are discarded. By the LEGGO device a revolving wheel or drum with a diameter of perhaps three feet and a face, or periphery of the wheel, about a foot and a half wide and covered with brightly polished zinc, is shown. Suspended above this drum and almost in contact with its gleaming surface is a complicated sort of pen, which comes in contact with the zinc face of the wheel whenever a current of electricity is passed through the two magnets to which it is attached. When the big wheel turns around the so-called pen moves slowly on a threaded rod across the face of the wheel from left to right; one complete turn of the drum is sufficient to move the pen half an inch across its surface. When a current is sent through the pen it strikes the zinc noiselessly, and sufficient analine ink to make a distinct mark is deposited on the surface of the wheel or drum. If the pen is placed at the extreme left edge of the face of the wheel and the machinery is started with the pen down, the result will be a continuous spiral line of analine ink. If, to illustrate, the zinc-covered drum was in a lathe, and a person should, while the lathe was in motion, place a pencil against the surface of the drum and move it slowly from one end of the drum to the other, the result would be a long spiral mark. In LEGGO's instrument the pen strikes and leaves the the zinc cylinder in obedience to the working of an ordinary Page telegraph key, and the result on the cylinder is a long spiral line running around and around it, composed of the dashes and dots peculiar to the MORSE alphabet, written out in analine ink. Now, if the pen is withdrawn and in its place a steel stylus bearing down upon the zinc surface is substituted, it follows that a current running from this stylus will be broken just in accordance with the dots and break marks on the cylinder for analine ink is a non-conductor. Any ordinary receiver will transmit these dots and dashes to a paper tape. By experiment it has been shown that a competent operator can write on the zinc cylinder of the LEGGO machine at the rate of eighty words a minute. As the slow part of the telegraph work is not the sending the message but the receiving of it by ear, the advantage of LEGGO's invention is evident, for the result is down in black and white and can be translated at leisure by the clerk at the receiving office. Another important advantage is in the sending of relay messages. A message from Ottawa to Victoria, for instance, cannot travel over one wire for more than six or eight hundred miles, especially if the weather is stormy; it has to be received at Buffalo, sent on to Chicago, received there, sent on to Omaha, and so on till it gets to Victoria; having been re sent or "relayed" half a dozen times, with opportunities for errors at every relay. With the new invention the work is not touched from Ottawa to Victoria, except to put the different machines at the relay stations into operation. Say that a long message is to go from Ottawa to Victoria. The Ottawa operator after getting a few lines of inked dots and dashes on his cylinder, sets the stylus in motion; the stylus is connected with another pen and cylinder in the Buffalo office, which in turn is followed by a stylus connected with a third pen and cylinder in the Omaha office, and so on to Victoria; the whole work is automatic. There are no chances for error and nine tenths of the labor needed in sending a message in the ordinary way is rendered unnecessary.

IS THE BRITISH NAVY USELESS?

A writer in an English paper thus libels Great Britain's fleet:—

"Suppose we went to war with America, I strongly suspect that those naval disasters we experienced in 1814, through the obstinacy and stupidity of the English admiralty, would be repeated. At that time we had hundreds of ships of war while the Americans had about a dozen. Of course no one doubted but that we should soon sweep this miserable, insignificant navy from the surface of the ocean. But, when the news reached home that the American frigate Constitution had captured, after a short and sharp action, the English frigate Guerriere, people in England could hardly believe the report, and when confirmed, solaced themselves with considering it a mere haphazard mischance that could not be repeated. But tidings rapidly arrived of the defeat and capture of the British ship-of-war Frolic by the American Wasp; of the Macedonian by the United States; of the Java by the Constitution; of the Peacock by the Hornet; and of other similar disasters. These could not all be ascribed to chance, but to some cause that rendered American ships superior to our own. And this proved to be the case. The dozen vessels of war belonging to the United States were constructed on an improved and more modern principle than those with which they came in contact. And at length the authorities at home opened their eyes to this startling fact, and, after experiencing some dozen or so disastrous defeats, they sent the Shannon, a more efficient style of ship and infinitely better manned than others which had struck their colors to the Americans, and by the capture of the Chesapeake the series of misfortunes was terminated. What avail all our enormous and, to the eye, magnificent ironclad fleet against two or three almost submerged torpedo vessels? In all likelihood they would experience a much worse fate than the Guerriere, Java, etc., and be blown bodily into the air. We maintain three large fleets of these obsolete craft. One in the Mediterranean, another that goes pottering about from port to port, called the channel fleet, and a third designated the reserve squadron, commanded by that distinguished Admiral, the Duke of Edinburgh, composed of about the oldest type of ironclad, which has gone to the Baltic in order to display the naval power of England to the awe-stricken Russians. Probably, however, when they learn that the ships are nearly as obsolete as Noah's ark, and the Admiral commanding them one who would never be intrusted in time of war with the command of cock boat, their awe and admiration of England's naval power might well be materially diminished."

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

EASTERN STATES.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—The most of the night, he has taken liquid food by the mouth at stated intervals and in sufficient quantities so that the enema have not been renewed. No modification of parotid swelling has yet been observed. His general condition is much the same as this time yesterday. Pulse 106; tempt. 9.85; respiration, 18.

UNOFFICIAL BULLETIN, EXECUTIVE MANSION, 8.45 a.m., Aug. 25.—Attending physicians and Drs. Agnew and Hamilton in consultation decided not to remove president from the Executive Mansion.

CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—The "Times" special from Washington says evidently the final crisis in the president's case has arrived. The reticence of the doctors and others during the day is finally explained. The surgeons have given him up, and are now preparing to take desperate chances. Dr. Hamilton last night advised the removal of the president from the White House to Tallapoosa as a last chance for saving his life. This course was not approved of by Dr. Bliss and one or two of the consulting physicians, and it was thought best to have a conference with all the surgeons in the city. Secretary Lincoln, who came out for a few moments, in answer to enquiries of the "Times'" correspondent, said there is no concealing the fact that the condition of the president is absolutely desperate. The opening of the parotid gland to-day resulted in the discharge of so small an amount of pus that the surgeons say this incision will not relieve it sufficiently; so that sloughing, a fatal symptom in his case, is possible. It can be stated upon the highest authority that whatever is the decision of the surgeons Mrs. Garfield will not consent to the president's removal. She believes that removing him would merely accelerate his death. The surgeons are bowed down with the great responsibilities of the question presented to them by Dr. Hamilton. Dr. Bliss when he left the executive mansion to go to the depot to meet Dr. Agnew reeled like a drunken man. He was so overcome with fatigue and anxiety, that his face was almost black. The circles surrounding his eyes were pitiable; dark while his eyed were pale. His eyes were dead, dull and spiritless. He has maintained a contest all day with Dr. Hamilton over removal of the president. Dr. Bliss believes that if he is removed he will die in transit. The public should be prepared for the worst as everybody about the White House now concedes that the hours of the president are numbered.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EUROPE.

PARIS, Aug. 23.—One of the most significant features of the election for members of the chamber of deputies is the defeat of the Bonapartists in Corsica. Among the noted Bonapartists who disappear from public life are Neel Abbot, Abbotucci, Harentjens and Duke De Padoni. The Bonapartist journal admits that the elections have been for conservatives of all shades a defeat from which it will take long to recover. According to independent estimates the reactionaries in the new chamber will even after the 2d ballot be below a hundred in number.

The mayor of Belleville declares that Gambetta has been elected in both divisions, but the "Temps" says: "We learn at the last moment that there is a question of some informality with regard to voting which will be submitted to a commissioner."

The "Republique Francaise," discussing the voting in Belleville, says: When we recall all the calumnies and scandalous devices to which the coalition of irreconcilables and monarchists resorted; when we recollect that they did not shrink from even the most unworthy stratagems to persuade people that the real author of amnesty is the enemy of democracy, we think the feeble majority no small triumph and that it does honor not only to the deputy elected but to his electors.

PARIS, Aug. 23.—Latest accounts of elections minutely verified show 517 elections, that 483 deputies were elected and that 64 second ballots are necessary. The 483 members comprise 38 monarchists, 42 Bonapartists and 403 republicans. Of the latter 31 belong to the left centre, 157 to the left, 137 to the republican union and 25 to the extreme left. The republicans gain 68 and lose 10. The monarchists gain 11 and lose 18. The Bonapartists gain three and lose 40. The republican gain includes 19 sects formerly belonging to the monarchists, 38 Bonapartists and 12 in the new electoral district. The "Temps" referring to the election, says that Gambetta has become the representative of a large majority in the country. The elections have placed him almost under the necessity of assuming power, and will necessarily result in the formation of a ministry with Gambetta at its head.

A fire occurred in a petroleum refinery near Paris to day; loss estimated at 800,000 francs.

BERNE, Aug. 23.—By order of the federal council, the nihilist Russian Prince Krapatkini has been expelled from Switzerland.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Liabilities of Judah, Lee, Simmons & Co. are estimated at £100,000.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The forward hold of the anchor line steamer Furnissia is full of water and the cargo of cotton entirely destroyed.

In an election at Leeds to-day to fill a vacancy in the commons, caused by the appointment of Herbert Gladstone to be junior lord of the treasury, Gladstone was returned without opposition.

I hear from good authority that the British consulate has cabled the home government the substance of the address of the so-called Irish revolutionary convention which has been holding secret sessions here for the past few days. That address without the slightest qualification proclaims the intention to destroy British vessels wherever they can be found, and declares that it is just as well to begin the work which is most easy of accomplishment, and by the time a few English vessels are destroyed the world may witness the beneficent sight of all shipping merchants and insurance companies of England presenting a petition to Gladstone to reconsider the Irish question.

A basket was left at the Midland railway station to-day by two men who immediately decamped. It was found to contain a large quantity of gun powder and cartridges.

DUBLIN, Aug. 23.—The land league received £1613 the past week. £50 was granted the two Whelans, acquitted of the Boyd murder.

The Kilfinane, County Limerick, branch of the land league is emphatically pronounced in favor of the land bill. This district has been the centre of fierce agitation.

PENZANCE, Aug. 23.—The steamer Faraday to day spliced the end of the new cable off Land's End and proceeded laying the mid-ocean section.

BERLIN, Aug. 23.—News has been received from St. Petersburg of recent arrests there, including an official of the general staff, who is accused of advising the revolutionists of precautions which the government is taking. Although the prisons are filled with persons accused of political crimes very few will be brought to trial.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The "Pall Mall Gazette" says that the government could hardly have come worse out of a debate than from that concerning the arrest of Michael Davitt. It is sincerely to be hoped that he will be released forthwith. It is difficult to speak with respect of the grounds which Sir Wm. Harcourt alleged for the re arrest of Davitt. The nationalist press is very indignant at Sir Wm. Harcourt's speech.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The Queen has signed the land bill.

Although there will be no general amnesty of suspected persons in Ireland it is stated that Sheehy, Mr. Kettle and about six other prisoners arrested shortly after the coercion act was passed will be liberated before parliament rises.

DUBLIN, Aug. 22.—The military authorities have been ordered to prepare flying detachments to proceed to different parts in Limerick county at a moment's notice as disturbances are anticipated.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The "Daily News" has the following from Madrid: The elections have resulted in a great success for the liberals, whose candidates are returned in two thirds of the polls already known.

AFRICA.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—A dispatch from Tunis says that the bey's troops who left Goletta yesterday have gone to Kairwan in the hope of inducing the tribes there to yield, and thus obviate the necessity of entering the town. The French, however, are determined to occupy it, as they desire to quell disaffection in the adjacent province of Algeria, for which purpose they must subjugate the southern portions. The French are entering upon the most difficult part of their enterprise. Their entry into Kairwan will be seriously opposed. It is feared that in the event of a collision the bey's troops will side with the rebellious tribes.

AFGHANISTAN.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The viceroy of India telegraphs that news has been received from Candahar that strong reinforcements are on the road from Cabul to join the ameer's troops at Khelat.

MEXICO.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 20.—A private letter from Mazatlan gives the following details of the explosion there: Fifteen hundred pounds of powder blew up the first day. Thirty corpses were removed in the following six days, four or five daily, when the authorities interdicted further removals, considering the work dangerous. All the windows in town were demolished.

CANADA.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Aug. 23.—It is reported that ex-Senator Conkling has purchased Robinson's place just below Thousand Islands Park.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—Gen. Geo. S. Dodge died at Oakland this a.m. from the effects of a paralytic strok of two years ago.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—The Tribune reports a case of a man named Lantens selling to a carpenter named Jansen his (Lantens') wife for $1. Mrs. L. had been unfaithful, and the bargain seemed to please all parties.

ITHACA, Aug. 23.—The Daily Journal says: Shinkel, of the Cornell crew; Michael Casey, saloon keeper, and Samuel W. Reid, a wholesale liquor dealer, made up the party that had agreed that Cornell should lose all their races abroad after the first—the Stewards' or Visitors'—which it was expected the crew would win. The Journal says that there is documentary evidence of the treachery, and states that Shinkel wrote to Casey from London, before the Cornell crew started for Vienna, that the Cornells would lose the Vienna race.

BOSTON, Aug. 24.—In the cars half way to Portland, Gen. Hancock was asked his opinion of Gen. Arthur and with much warmth he replied he was an able, patriotic, high-minded gentleman and in the event of his being called to the chief magistracy he would discharge the duties with but one purpose, that of benefitting the entire country.

Newfoundland.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., Aug. 11.—Her Britannic Majesty's steamer Druid that for some weeks has been cruising in Fortune Bay on fishery protection service has met with a serious accident. On Friday as the Druid was steaming over towards Recontre she struck a ledge rock. A considerable portion of the main keel was carried away and the forefoot and the steamer's ram were thought to have been partially injured. The ship, however, makes no water, and Commander Kennedy awaits orders as to whether he shall proceed to to Halifax or come to St. John's for repairs. The ledge on which the Druid struck is not shown on the official chart. Fortune Bay has been but very imperfectly surveyed.

The French war ship Clorinde arrived from Crouque on Tuesday. She encountered a heavy gale and southwest wind with turbulent head sea. After midnight the storm abated. The commander of of the Clorinde, Captain De Varenne, some weeks back rendered himself conspicuous on the west coast of Newfoundland by his summary interference with the operation of British law on this debatable ground. Encouraged by his action the mutinous inhabitants of St. George's Bay landed dutiable goods and successfully resisted the demand of the local custom house officials for payment of duties according to the Newfoundland tariff. The intervention of De Varenne considerably complicated the French Shore question which lay dormant during the past quarter of a century, but which now appears possibly destined to settlement by force. The Clorinde reports an unusually large catch for the French fishermen on the northeast Newfoundland coast.

DEATH IN THE COFFEE POT. The public are cautioned against purchasing imported California ground coffee. Its cheapness is its only recommendation. The ingredients are of the vilest description, as anyone using it will discover should he examine the grounds. During the perihelia of the planets people should be careful what they eat and drink. Don't allow your grocer to palm off his trash upon you, because it pays him better to sell it than the good article. Ask for FELL & Co.'s Coffee and take no other.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AGRICULTURE.

A PUBLIC MEETING TO TAKE INTO CONsideration the advisability of forming an Agricultural and Horticultural Society will be held at the City Hall THIS EVENING at 7:30 o'clock. Farmers and Business men are invited to attend
au26

NOTICE.

ESTATE OF P. J. HALL.

A DIVIDEND OF 15 PER CENT. UNDER DEED of Assignment of 7th July, 1880, will be payable at Messrs. Shears & Partridge, London House, on SATURDAY, 27th inst., from 9 to 12.
Victoria, B.C., 25th Aug., 1881. au26

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WARNING.

I HEREBY WARN THE PUBLIC AGAINST HARboring or trusting my wife "Kitty," who has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation and is now somewhere in the vicinity of Victoria.
CHARLES CATO.
Fort Wrangel, A.T., Aug. 10, 1881. au26dw

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THE UNDERSIGNED RETURNS HIS SINCERE thanks to Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Co. of Victoria, Agents for the North British and Mercantile Insurance Co., for the prompt and liberal manner in which they have adjusted the losses sustained by him in consequence of the late fire.
I. C. INSLEY.
Cascade House, Yale, Aug. 22d. au24dw

THE YALE FIRE—THANKS FOR ASSISTANCE RENDERED.

THE UNDERSIGNED RETURNS HIS GRATEful thanks to his friends and neighbors and the citizens of Yale generally for the energetic and disinterested manner in which they assisted in preserving his property from destruction during the progress of the recent fire. But for those exertions his entire establishment would have fallen a prey to the flames in common with much other valuable property.
I. C. INSLEY.
Cascade House, Yale, Aug. 22d. au24dw

CARD OF THANKS TO THE NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO RETURN thanks to Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Co. for the prompt and satisfactory manner in which their claims for insurance have been satisfied by them on behalf of the North British and Mercantile Fire Insurance Company.
DOUGLAS & DEIGHTON.
Yale, B. C., Aug. 22d. au24dw

NOTICE.

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Wednesday, Aug. 24th—DAUGHTER OF THE REGIMENT.

Announcement of the Operas to follow will be made later on. au14

CARD OF THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG TO ACKNOWLEDGE on behalf of Mrs. Nesbitt the liberality and promptitude of the Mutual Life Insurance Co., of New York, in the settlement of her claim under the policy on the life of her late husband, together with the bonus additions due thereon, which last mentioned in six years had reached one-half of the whole premiums paid on the policy. We desire also to thank Messrs. H. F. HEISTERMAN & Co. for their kindly efforts in the matter.
R. P. RITHET,
M. MUIR.
Victoria, B.C., Aug. 16, 1881. au19 1w

LOST.

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THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All accounts due to, or owing by, the late firm will be received or paid by Mr. Beer.

Dated 22d August, 1881.

JAMES BEER,
GEO. MANSELL.
Witness—J. ROLAND IETT,
au23dw Langley street, Victoria.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO APply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, under section 5, Land Amendment Act, 1879, to purchase One Hundred and Sixty (160) Acres of Crown Land situated in Nicola Valley, at the foot of Stump Lake, commencing at the Southwest corner stake; thence running Southeast 20 chains; Northeast to the edge of the lake 40 chains; thence to the Northwest 20 chains; hence to the starting point on Southwest corner 40 chains.

No mining claims or minerals are known to exist on said land.

A notice was posted up on said land.

WILLIAM PALMER.
Nicola Valley, August 6, 1881. au21dw

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By order of the Commissioners.

WM. McKEE, Clerk.
Bayview Farm, Delta, Aug. 11, 1881. au14dw

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WILL REOPEN ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1st.

Applications for the new term may be made to Miss DUPONT at the College, on Wednesdays and Fridays between the hours of two and four p. m. au16

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THE GRAMMAR SCHOOL WILL RE-OPEN (D. V.) on Monday, 29th August.

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MICHAELMAS TERM WILL BEGIN ON WEDnesday, September 7th, at 9 o'clock, when all pupils are requested to be present.

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REV. ALEX. ALLEN, B.A.,
au13 Trinity College, Toronto, Vice-Principal.

NOTICE.

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Victoria, B.C., Aug. 18, 1881. au19

Daily Colonist.

FRIDAY MORNING, AUG. 26TH, 1881.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Aug. 25—Str Los Angeles, Wrangel
Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Str Wilson G. Hunt, Nanaimo
Str Alexander, Nanaimo
Sch Fevorite, West Coast
Slp Shoofly, San Juan
Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

Aug. 25—Str Los Angeles, Portland
Str Wilson G. Hunt, Nanaimo
Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend
Str Alexander, Burrard Inlet
Slp Shoofly, San Juan

PASSENGERS.

Per str GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—James Boyle, J Roberts, Dan Ross, Miss Taylor, Marshall and family, Mrs Capt Sprague, Meigh, Holland, W McCurdy.

TO ADVERTISERS.

The Guaranteed Circulation of "The Colonist" is more than double that of any other Newspaper Published in the Province.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER AND PARTY.

THEIR MOVEMENTS.

Yesterday morning Sir Charles Tupper sent a communication to Mayor Turner to the effect that in consequence of a desire to visit the mainland before the setting in of bad weather, he deemed it advisable to postpone his public reception at the Theatre until his return from the line of the Yale-Savona railway. The meeting announced for to-day will, therefore, not take place, but Sir Charles and party, accompanied by Hon. Mr. Trutch, Hon. Mr. Walkem and Robert Dunsmuir, Esq., will sail in the Sir James Douglas at 9 o'clock this morning for Nanaimo, Departuae Bay and Burrard Inlet. The harbors will all be visited, after which the party will proceed to New Westminster, embarking there in a special steamer on Saturday for Yale. They will leave Yale on Tuesday for points up the road, returning on Thursday and will be back again to Victoria on Saturday afternoon. After Sir Charles' return to this city he will receive visitors at some one of the public offices due notice of time and place being given. On the 6th proximo he will meet the citizens of Victoria, and on the 10th will sail for Canada.

Yesterday the party, accompanied by Senator Macdonald, Hon. Mr. Trutch, R. Dunsmuir, Esq., and several ladies drove through the suburbs and visited Esquimalt and other points of interest. At Esquimalt Sir Charles inspected the the drydock works and was favorably impressed with the natural advantages of the site. At Senator Macdonald's residence, during the day, Sir Charles Tupper received a number of visitors.

More Distinguished Arrivals.

The steamer George E. Starr brought over yesterday His Grace Archbishop Seghers, Bishop Brondell and Father Jonckau from Portland, Oregon. All the R. C. priests in this city met them on the arrival of the steamer and accompanied them to the Bishop's palace, Humboldt street. His Grace has come on a visit to his numerous old time friends in this province who will be delighted to congratulate him on the recent mark of high esteem that has been bestowed upon him by the Pontificate. His stay, however, will be short, probably two Sundays, but in that time a visit will be made to Cowichan, Nanaimo and New Westminster. The people of this portion of his archieopiscopal see will be sorry that the visit is likely to be so brief.

Cariboo Mining News.

(Special to The Colonist.)

BARKERVILLE, Aug. 24.

Mining news of late has been very meagre. On Slough Creek the Chinamen continue to do well. Geo. Conklin has taken good wages out of his claim. Others are prospecting.

On Jack of Clubs Creek the Brothers Co. took out 94 ozs. this week and 41 ozs. last week; the Sisters 34 ozs. this week and 31 oz. last week.

On Snow Shoe Creek the Last Chance Co. commenced on pay and took out about expenses. The Rawley Co. are just ready to work with good prospects ahead.

The recent heavy and continuous rains have been very beneficial to the hydraulic claims.

DEATH FROM A KICK.—Mr. John Wren, who was kicked in the face by a horse he was unhitching at his residence, near Corvallis, Oregon, a few days since, died on Friday from the effects of the wound. His face was fearfully crushed by the blow and the brain was affected by the coagulation of blood from the wound therein, which brought on spasms of the most intense agony, from which death ensued.—*Seattle Post.*

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.—Effie, the ten year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burdon, of Fidalgo, while playing in the field one day last week, ran under a moving reaping machine, receiving injuries necessitating the amputation of her left hand just above the wrist.... A very fair specimen of coal was exhumed yesterday in the northeastern part of Seattle, by men digging a deep water trench.

TRAGIC.—Mr. W. E. Sheridan the celebrated American tragedian, will shortly play an engagement at Portland under Mr. Sheechan's management. Should sufficient inducements be offered Mr. Sheridan will play a few nights at Theatre Royal.

TAKEN TO GAOL.—Yesterday an Indian and his "better half," both the worse for liquor, in endeavoring to get up Yates street from Government, met a police officer, whom they assailed with Chinook Billingsgate, instead of getting away out of town as fast as possible. Consequence—a night's lodging in the Bastion street house of correction.

THE NORTH PACIFIC.—John J. Holland, master-builder of the O. R. & N. Co., arrived yesterday afternoon to superintend the reconstruction of the steamer North Pacific.

A MAGNIFICENT SWINDLE.

A Merchant Loses a Ship and $30,000 Worth of Goods.

BOSTON, Aug. 11.—An old and well-known commission merchant named Daniel Goodnow recently purchased a lot of damaged cotton, and among the offers of a bargain for it which were made was one from G. A. Fuller, a cotton broker, ostensibly acting in the interests of a large manufacturing firm in Biddeford, Maine. After some negotiations Fuller introduced a man who pretended to be a special agent of the Company. A bargain was struck and Mr. Goodnow was requested to send the cotton by water, as the Biddeford Company was engaged in serious legal complications with the railways. For all these representations letters and telegrams, apparently genuine, were shown. In order to effect the shipment, Mr. Goodnow purchased an old barque, the Western Sea, and besides the cotton, which was valued at $29,391, large quantities of wine and tea were put on board, as it was said these would meet with ready sale. Mr. Goodnow was also induced to provision the vessel for a long voyage, as being a foreign vessel (she sailed under the Haytien flag) she must first go to St. John, N. B., and thence back to Biddeford. The barque sailed on the 3rd of July, but when Goodnow a few days afterwards presented his bill at the office of the company here he found that he had been swindled. The arrival of the Western Sea was chronicled at St. John in due time. She cleared that port on the 26th of July, and has not since been heard of. Telegraphic orders for her detention have been sent to all points where she would be likely to touch.

MACHIAS, Me., Aug. 12.—Capt. Mosher and Fuller, the supposed supercargo of the barque obtained on alleged false pretences from Goodnow, of Boston, have been gaoled. There were eight men on the barque. Mosher says he has going to Biddeford. The mate says they were going to Liverpool.

The Civic Address.

The civic address presented to Sir Charles Tupper congratulates him upon his safe arrival at Victoria; acknowledges with satisfaction the vigorous action of dealing with the railway; approves of the present Dominion government in the agreement with the syndicate; refers to the island railway as a question of great importance to the province, and hopes that arrangements will be made for the speedy commencement of that work; draws attention to the tying up the railway belt for several years to the great injury of the province; says that if the original terms of union had been carried out Sir Charles might have reached this province by a direct line through Canadian territory instead of adopting the circuitous route he was forced to adopt; suggests the early opening of the railway lands to settlement; the prosecution of Victoria harbor improvements; the amelioration of the condition of the Indians near Victoria, and a proper quarantine establishment.

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WAS IT A HIGHWAYMAN?—Early yesterday morning as a government official was taking an airing round Beacon hill on horseback he was considerably alarmed by a shot in very close proximity to him, and before he recovered his equinimity, bang! went another. Things now began to look serious, and not wishing to be the intentional or unintentional mark for a highwayman, sportsman or militiaman, he started at a lively pace toward town, but had not proceeded far before a third deafening report made him reel in his saddle. Without slackening his pace he formed himself into an investigating committee to ascertain whether he or his horse, or both, had been hit. By the time he reached home, however, he arrived at the conclusion that no harm had been done to man or beast and that both had been more frightened than hurt.

THE HALIFAX DRYDOCK.—Mail advices received from London state that arrangements have been completed for at once commencing the construction of the drydock at St. John, N. B., in the event of Halifax City Council withdrawing its promised subsidy to the Halifax Drydock Company. The matter was laid before Lord Northbrook, First Lord of the Admiralty, who, after referring the proposed change to Col. Pasley, Director of Works, reported that the admiralty would make no objection to the selection of St. John as the site for the graving dock, and as far as aid from the Imperial Government was concerned, in the event of the Halifax scheme failing, there was no objection to the selection of St. John.

MOGULS COMING.—Mr. Henry Villard and J. B. Montgomery, the railroad contractor, says the Walla Walla *Journal*, left New York last week for this country. It is understood that with the arrival of Mr. Villard there will be considerable change made among the officers of the O. R. & N. and Northern Pacific Companies.—*Seattle Intelligencer.*

DR. C. E. GEIGER yesterday received a telegram stating that his brother is not expected to live, and requesting him to come at once to Walla Walla. He therefore left for Portland and will be absent about 10 days. *

AGRICULTURAL.—Another meeting in the interest of the formation of an agricultural socity in this city will be held at the Town Hall at 7.30 o'clock this evening. There should be a goodly attendance.

LORD HARRIS, the great English authority on cricketing, is in San Francisco.

The Pirates of Penzance.

Gilbert & Sullivan's musical satire of the "Pirates of Penzance" was produced last night for the first time here by the Lester Opera Troupe. In some respects it resembles the clever creation of the same authors, "H. M. S. Pinafore," yet falls beneath it in quality of music and plot. There are a few airs in it which have become popular, particularly the waltz sang in the first act and the policeman's "Tarantara." The piece was excellently put on the stage, the dresses being very good. Miss Lester played Mabel Stanley very well, indeed. Her delightful voice was heard to much advantage in "Poor Wandering Me," and "Oh! Leave Me not to Pine," and there were frequent bursts of applause and showers of bouquets in her honoras the piece proceeded. Miss Krauss as Ruth could not have been better cast. In voice, action and expression she was all that could be desired and her spirited rendition contributed largely to the success of the opera. Mr. Kinross made up well as the Major General and sang his music with care and precision. He was warmly greeted by the vast audience, which is evidence of the high estimation in which he is held. His song "I am the very Model," and "Sighing Softly to the River," were delivered in his very best manner and with great taste and expression. Mr. Nathal made an excellent Pirate King. His French accent is just sufficient to impart a charm to the *rôle.* He acted with great dash and spirit and his song "Oh! better far to live and die," was given with *verve* and was well sung. Mr. Roraback as Frederick was very successful. He both sang and acted well, rendering the music of his part in a style that was highly artistic. Mr. Knight as the Sergeant of Police was extremely amusing. He sang the Policeman's Song with great effect and otherwise made a very great hit. The ladies of the chorus sing well together, evincing careful training and hard study....This evening H.M.S. Pinafore, with Miss Lester as Josephine, and Mr. Kinross as Capt. Corcoran, will be presented. The performance will be for the benefit of Mr. Kinross, one of Victoria's greatest favorites. Is it necessary to say anything more to ensure a crowded house? A detachment of marines and sailors from H.M.S. Rocket will appear on the stage and take part in the choruses.

Josephine	Louise Lester
Capt. Corcoran	W. H. Kinross
Admiral Porter, K. C. B.	Mr. Forster
Dick Deadeye	Mr. Knight
Boatswain	Louis Nathal
Ralph Rackstraw	M. Roraback
Buttercup	Emma Schutz
Hebe	Miss Carol Crouse

Cousins, Sisters and Aunts by the ladies of the chorus.

Marines, blue jackets, &c., from H. M. S. Rocket.

Arrival of a Russian Man-of-War.

The Russian steamship Africa arrived in Esquimalt harbor last evening at 8 o'clock, 35 days from Petropaulosky which port she left on the 20th ult. She is probably the finest foreign war ship that ever cast anchor in these waters, being about 300 feet in length, is capable of steaming 15 knots an hour and is fully equipped with every modern appliance pertaining to a first class vessel of war. Her complement of officers and men numbers 280, with a Russian admiral in command. In about a week she will proceed to San Francisco to meet the rest of the Russian fleet in the North Pacific. The Africa is one of the vessels built a few years ago by Roach of Philadelphia and sold to the Russian government.

The U. S. S. Rodgers arrived in Petropaulosky the day before the Africa sailed, 33 days from San Francisco, and was to have sailed on the 24th ult. on her way north in search of the missing Jeannette with 40 sledge-dogs and everything necessary for Arctic travel. No news whatever had reached that port of the missing explorers.

The Yale Fire.

We are the sole agents in British Columbia for the J. and J. TAYLOR, Toronto, Safe Works. These safes have all the modern improvements and are now made to withstand a fire equal to that at St. John or Chicago. The non-conducting flange is the latest of these improvements and has been adopted after the most severe tests of its fire-resisting qualities. Instead of castiron they now use galvanized homogeneous steel which is much stronger and tougher.

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Marine.

The steamer Alexander left last night for Moodyville to tow down the barque Oasis, lumber-laden for Melbourne, Australia.

The bark California, 795 tons, has been chartered to load lumber at Burrard Inlet for Sydney or Melbourne. Captain Howard, late of the bark Remijio, takes command, Captain Love retiring to go East.

TESTING HOSE.—The fire hose belonging to both companies was subjected to a severe test yesterday. Deluge hose, about 900 feet, was tried at the hydrants, corner of Fort and Douglas. A strain of 100 pounds water pressure was put upon it, which after being continued for some time caused five lengths to give out, in every case near the couplings. A large quantity of water was forced up the mains to the east end of the town from those hydrants; the pressure in this way being sufficient to throw water 60 feet high from the hydrant near the residence of Mrs. Nesbitt. In case of fire in that locality the engine can be attached to the hydrants at Douglas street and do good service as far as the hose will reach from the upper hydrant. The Deluge engine was set to work at the hydrant opposite the town hall, where nearly 1000 feet underwent the same test and seven long lengths gave out. The broken ends will be cut off and the couplings refastened when it will be all ready for the severest service that it can be put to. It appears that the moisture is attracted from the couplings along the inner coating of canvas, which decays in consequence and thus weakens the hose so that it will not resist a heavy pressure. A length of old leather hose that has not been used for 20 years was tested and withstood the ordeal successfully, thus demonstrating that that description of hose is equally as servicable as carbolized.

VICTORIA MILLS.—The advertisement of Haynes & Lovell indicates that the firm are prepared to supply the wants of the public. Now is the time to patronize home industry.

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In our advertising columns it will be seen that the committee of the above institute, desirous of promoting the cultivation of literature, are offering prizes for the best poetical compositions upon subjects mentioned, viz., "The Spirit of the Age" and "John Chinaman," and that two months are allowed as time for their accomplishment. Contributions are to have attached as distinguishing marks mottoes, but not the names of the authors, and to be addressed to the Librarian of the Institute, and sent in not later than the 1st day of November. The subjects chosen offer every latitude for display of the inspiration of the muse, and there need be little doubt these commendable efforts of the committee of the institution for promotion of social improvement will be attended with success. With the view of affording amusement at the entertainment when the prize poems will be read, a present of $5 will be given for the best original conundrum upon a local subject. We notice that the Lieut. Governor and Mr. Premier Walkem have consented to act as judges of the merits of the contributions.

Fight with Indians.

EL PASO, Aug. 22.—Reliable intelligence was received to-day of the fight between Lieutenant Schaffer of the Fort Bliss garrison and Indians near the valley, a hundred miles northwest of El Paso, in which Lieutenant Smith, four soldiers and George Daly, a celebrated mining expert and owner of extensive mines in Colorado, were killed. Lieut. Schaffer was wounded. The negro soldiers fled when the Indians made an attack, hence the casualties.

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Eastern Canada Mail.

(Per steamer Geo. E. Starr.)

HALIFAX, Aug. 12.—The majority for the Canada Temperance Act in the county of Cape Breton, voting on which took place yesterday, is, so far as heard from nearly 400.

A meeting of the creditors of Moir, Son & Co., bankers, whose suspension was reported last week, was held this afternoon. The insolvents presented a statement of their affairs which showed that their property had cost $215,000, and was mortgaged for $65,000. The available stock and other assets amount to $65,000, and their liabilities were $113,000. Theo made an offer of 40c. on the dollar, payable in two and a half years in instalments of eight cts. on the dollar every six months, and 10 per cent more if they could realize it from real estate after payment of the mortgage. The creditors would not accept this for the present and appointed a committee of investigation.

MONTREAL, Aug. 10.—The grounded steamship Strathairly was still in the same position at four o'clock, but it was the opinion of the agents that she would be got off to-night. About half of the cargo has been taken out.

In the telegraph injunction suit yesterday the evidence was closed for the plaintiff; and next Monday fixed for the hearing of the evidence for the defendants. Judgment will not be given before the meeting of the Montreal Co. next Wednesday.

The Consolidated Bank shareholders held their final meeting as such this afternoon, and, after some protests from a few of those present, the resolution to sell the assets for 13 cents on the dollar was confirmed.

TORONTO, Aug. 13.—The death of Hon. Harcourt Burland Bull, of Hamilton, which occurred at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his residence in that city, was entirely unexpected. The deceased Senator had been in rather poor health for several years, and of late suffered much from the heat of the weather, but there was nothing in his condition to cause any fear of so sudden a demise. Mr. Bull was a native of Ireland and aged 57 years.

OTTAWA, Aug. 13.—I understand upon reliable authority that the main line of the Canada Pacific railway has been definitely located to cross the Little Saskatchewan River at Rapid City. This will be cheering news to a large number of people in Ontario who have invested heavily in lands at that point.

Rev. James Howie, a dangerous lunatic now in Brantford goal, will be sent to the Hamilton asylum on the 12th. The unfortunate man, who lived at Paris for nearly ten years prior to his incarceration, has been upon several occasions for wife beating, and for the safety of his family it was deemed advisable to have him locked up. Since then he has been gradually growing worse, and this last step has been taken with the hope that he may recover.

Work on the new woollen factory at Quebec advances rapidly, and the walls of the first flat are all but completed.

The knitting mill lately established at Kingston is doing a good business. Orders are coming in faster than they can be attended to. Fifty hands are now employed.

An eccentric farmer resides in Rockland. His eccentricity consists in never saving his crops except during rainy weather, and confining himself to his residence when the sun shines.

Adelina Patti, whose agent had taken the Academy of Music here for a concert in January next, has declined to come, owing to her time on this continent being too limited.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 11.—The three-year old daughter of Postmaster Little at Oak River was lost last week, and though repeated search has been made by settlers, no trace can be found of the child. Rev. Mr. Seargent's child, lost at Rapid City in a similar way, has not yet been found.

MONTREAL, Aug. 10.—One of the most notorious New York bank and bond robbers, who is said to have netted a large fortune by his depredations, has been making Montreal his headquarters for some days past.

OTTAWA, Aug. 11.—Ottawa furnishes an instance of the fatal effects of charivaring. Last evening James Earle *alias* James Wetherell, aged about 60 years, was married to a Mrs. Doughtery, of Mount Sherwood, a woman about 45. The boys gave them a charivari, and were tendered a dollar to go away. Later on they approached the house, throwing stones at the dwelling, smashing some glass. This was between 1 and 2 o'clock and the company was principally composed of men, two of whom entered the house and attempted to drag Wetherell out when he refused them money for liquor. Wetherell knocked one of them down. The party raised a great racket but were driven off by Wetherell, who followed them chasing them from near the building. This morning Wetherell was found lying on the street about 200 yards from his newly made wife's house. There was a concussion at the left ear, on the eye and chin, as if caused by blows from stones or sticks. It is believed that this was the work of the charivari party. There were not many dwellings in the immediate locality at Mount Sherwood, where the tragedy occurred. A Frenchman named Poton, living next door to where the newly wedded pair live, was charged by Wetherell with encouraging the party in their noisy conduct, when Poton began to curse and swear. He meant to have Wetherell's life and it is thought that he may have had a hand in the fatal assault. Four men have been arrested in connection with the affair.

English Mail.

(Per steamship Idaho.)

LONDON, Aug. 18.—Levisson will leave England returning to Russia as a British subject. He has a passport signed by Lord Granville. Under these circumstances and in view of the opinion elicited in England, America and other countries in regard to his expulsion from Russia his reception will be watched with interest.

VIENNA, Aug. 18.—Herbat, liberal leader, in the reichstrath on Monday, while advocating the necessity of economy, said the malady from which all Europe is suffering is militarism. It is unknown in America and therefore the United States will soon have no national debt, and will by degrees become a creditor of Europe, at the same time disposing of its immense resources. He thought this was the most serious prospect of militarism and was causing a constant increase of emigration to America from Austria and Germany.

Eight thousand casks of wine were destroyed by a recent fire at Bordeaux.

Krupp is crowded with orders from the monarchs of Europe, who frequently meet and embrace each other. He has 13,000 men on his pay rolls.

The Sultan of Turkey has granted 1,500,000 acres of land in the district of Gilead and Moab for a Jewish colony. He received pay therefor from wealthy Jewish capitalists.

WHOLESALE DEPARTMENT

(UP STAIRS.)

Received per Dakota 2½, 3, 3½ and 4 point **BLANKETS;** also, an invoice of **CHEAP JEWELERY and NOTIONS** suitable for the Jobbing Trade. Also, *In Bond*, to open in time for Holiday Trade, 100 doz. assorted **DOLLS.**

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ASHCROFT RACES.—The annual meeting at Ashcroft will take place on the 5th and 6th October next. Many interesting races with liberal purses have been arranged and owners of fast stock should prepare for this, the most important meeting in the province. *

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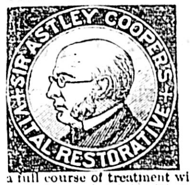

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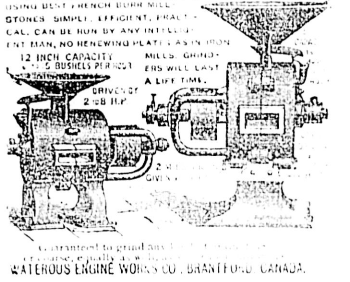
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LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$ 53,734 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 91,971
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	24,745 00	Gold Bullion	6,008 00
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	120,155 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	3,165 00
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	226,171 00	Landed and other Property	15,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	185,121 00
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	146,657 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$424,805 00	Total Amount of Assets	$447,922

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881.....$5,000,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders.....5 per cent per annum
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year.....$125,000.
Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend.....$756,000

VICTORIA, B. C., 9th July, 1881.

(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
(Signed) JAMES CRAN, Accountant.

I, ROBERT BURNS, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864. (Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 9th day of July, 1881.
jy10 (Signed) J. H. TURNER, J. P.

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881.

LIABILITIES.		
Notes in circulation	$371,062 00	
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	8,035 06	
Deposits not bearing Interest	$763,762 01	
Deposits bearing Interest	29,714 82	
		793,476 83
Total Amount of Liabilities		$1,172,573 89

ASSETS.		
Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver		$184,409 89
Gold Bullion		9,306 24
Landed and other Property		20,111 46
Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 4 088 74	
Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	525,260 22	
		529,348 96
All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	685,022 20	
Do. without the Province	26,877 01	
		711,899 24
Total Amount of Assets		$1,461,075 80

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1881.....$1,730,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders.....5 per cent. per annum.
Amount of last dividend declared.....$43,250
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend.....$226,560

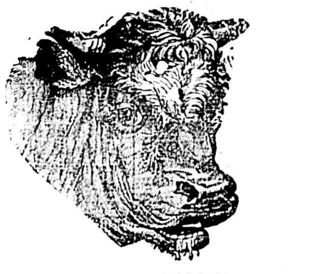
(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
(Signed) CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 21st July, 1881.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 21st day of July, 1881.,
jy22 (Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P.



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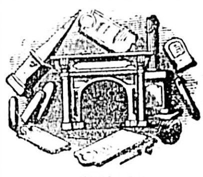

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